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The popular Broadway star, Mme. Sarah Adler, supported by a clever cast of noted players, is being presented today at the Orpheum theater in "The Sins of the Parents," a vivid



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dramatic offering of a great question of today. The drama is from the pen of the great writer, Abramson, and it is a wonderful and pleasing offering.

Monday, Edwin August with a great cast will appear in "The Social Highwayman," and another chapter of "The Mysteries of Myra," will be the offering at this popular theater.

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Gladys Hanson, the famous Broadway emotional star, and formerly Lou Tellegen's leading woman, is the featured actress in "The Havoc," released on the V. L. S. E. program, and shown at the Bijou today. Lewis S. Stone, of stage fame, and Bryant Washburn are the other principals.

The story deals with the love triangle in a new and more exciting guise. The man who marries his stenographer, takes his closest friend, also an employee, into his home. The friend wins the love of the wife. The husband, discovering the circumstances, does not kill. Instead he agrees to divorce his wife and permit her to wed the other man if he is allowed to live in the same house with them. This done, he promotes his rival, but the latter takes advantage of an opportunity to steal. When he is imprisoned, the first husband takes his former wife back to his office as his stenographer.

Frank Daniels in "The Escapades of Mr. Jack, No. 4," is the comedy attraction.

The Triangle program Monday and Tuesday will feature Dorothy Gish and Owen Moore in "Little Meena's Romance," and Charles Murray with a cast of handsome beauties in "A Bathhouse Blunder."

William C. De Mille, the Lasky director, has not yet settled upon the title for his next Paramount picture, starring Victor Moore, but it is said to deal with circus life. In the cast supporting Mr. Moore are Florence Dagmar, Thomas Meighan, Tom Forman, Ernest Jay and others.

"A Stranger in New York" has been filmed by Selig. Otis Harlan again portrays Mr. A. Stranger and the playwright has once more given him a chance to "corner" the prize juice market, which he will begin to do May 8 when the picture, "A Stranger in New York" will be released through the General Film Service.

Marguerite Clark as "The Prince and the Pauper," Charles Chaplin in "A Night in the Show," and the celebrated Bray cartoons constitute the program that is being presented today at the Robinson Grand.

"The Prince and the Pauper" is one of the most delightful and thoroughly enjoyable of Mark Twain's many works. It is a film that will be appreciated by young folk of all ages, for in its merriest and clever humor, with its dashes of dramatic thrills that frequently sweep the spectator off his feet, only to replace him with a laugh, the story combines all the elements of a great artistic triumph such as can be conceived only by the mind of a master, and adequately interpreted only by a star of the unusual ability of Miss Clark.

Monday, Dustin Farnum will be seen in "Den Blair," a drama that is said to be amazing in its interest and appealing qualities. The thirteenth chapter of "The Strange Case of Mary Page" will also be presented.

Lew Fields is to revive the musical piece, "The Girl Behind the Counter." In the first performance of this piece Vernon Castle won popular notice in the role of a lanky waiter. Blanche Ring may have a prominent role in the revival.

Virginia Fox Brooks, daughter of Joseph Brooks, the well known manager, is to appear in the fall in an important production. She appeared as the heroine in Leo Dietrichstein's production of "The Great Lover."

James Young is now directing Blanche Sweet, the Lasky-Paramount star, in a new Paramount production entitled "Easy Money," written especially for her by Margaret Turnbull and James Young. In the cast supporting Miss Sweet are Camille Astor, Theodore Roberts, Horace B. Carpenter, Mrs. Lewis McCord, Raymond Hatton and Jane Wolfe.

Kalemites at the Hollywood, Calif., studio have organized a baseball team; Bud Duncan is playing the important position of manager without an error to date.

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West Virginia Briefs

WEST UNION: Upon the petition of a large number of the citizens of McClelland district, the county court has entered an order calling a special election for June 13 in the district to vote on a bond issue of \$200,000 for permanent roads.

FAIRMONT: H. H. Smith, Consolidation coal miner at Monongah, has been brought to the miners' hospital here with both legs broken, the result of falling slate in a mine.

NEW MARTINSVILLE: The foundations have been measured for a large glass factory to be built at once at Paden City by the newly organized Paden City Glass Company. Table glass ware will be manufactured.

LOGAN: The grand jury in session here returned an indictment against John B. Wilkinson, Jr., mayor of Logan, on a charge of gambling. Indictments were also returned against Deputy Sheriffs Joseph Osborne, Enos Mounts and Joseph Staggis for pistol "toting."

NEW MARTINSVILLE: Former state Senator J. W. Santee, of Burton, Wetzel county, has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for state senator in the Second district.

CHARLESTON: West Virginians are buying autos at the rate of fifty a day, according to the license report of John S. Darst, state auditor. The last ten days have broken all records.

SISTERSVILLE: Detective Fred O. Blue, of this city, and the county officials raided a gasoline boat and two houses. They found a wagon load of whiskey and beer. The owner of the boat, W. F. White, was arrested and released on \$1,250 bail to appear in the circuit court. A large quantity of whiskey was found in the two houses. Ernest Boston, an associate of White, was arrested and was released on \$1,000 bail.

CHARLESTON: Labor troubles, which have made Cabin creek one of the most famous spots in American industrial affairs, are settled for at least three years. A contract for three years has been signed by the coal operators and the United Mine Workers of America, and officials of the national body are highly satisfied with the new rate. The men who struck on April 1 have returned to work.

HUNTINGTON: Six club women of this city, know the excitement a fire on an automobile apparatus. The women were guests of Fire Chief Davis and were being taken about the city in the chief's fire auto in connection with the clean-up campaign being conducted here this week. When an alarm was turned in and Chief Davis drove in his usual fashion in going to a fire.

CHARLESTON: The Monte Coal Company and the Big Eagle Coal Company, operating mines in Boone county, have granted a five per cent increase, effective May 1.

WHEELING: Sensations are promised by United States District Attorney Stuart W. Walker when the men arrested in different parts of the country charged with holding up the Baltimore and Ohio flyer at Central Station and stealing more than a half million dollars in unsigned currency are arranged in the United States district court here Tuesday. "We are now engaged in unravelling the case," said Mr. Walker, "and the trial of the men here will be a most amazing upturning of prominent criminals, in my judgment."

CHARLESTON: An injunction has been refused by the supreme court of appeals against the county court of Raleigh county by a petition from T. A. Warden and others. The proceeding was to determine whether an issue of \$300,000 in bonds for building roads in Town district was legal. The refusal of the court to grant the writ makes it possible for the court to proceed with the bond sale.

PARKERSBURG: Parkersburg will continue its support of the Anti-Tuberculosis League, which maintains a visiting nurse. The annual donation made by the city is \$300.

WHEELING: The proponents rested their case in the Schumacher will contest and after a few witnesses for the contestant, Anna Marie Fellers, were examined, the court instructed the jury to find a verdict for the proponents. Counsel for Miss Fellers gave notice of an appeal to the state supreme court.

CHARLESTON: Report has been made by the tax commissioner's office of the official audit of the accounts of present and former officials of Tyler county. According to the audit, J. W. Duty, county clerk, owes the county over \$1,900; A. E. Pratt, assessor, over \$1,000; and Will E. Long, former assessor, almost \$1,000. As a former sheriff, Will E. Long is found by the audit to owe the county \$680, having already made settlement of \$2,400 on a discrepancy found formerly. Other former county officers were found to owe the county small sums. Some of these made immediate settlement when the auditors informally reported their findings.

TIGRIS RIVER IS IN A HISTORY ROLE NOW

As There is an English Campaign Along That Great Asian Watercourse.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Along the flooded banks of the Tigris river the English campaign in Mesopotamia has been waged with exceptional vigor during the last few weeks. It has brought into the limelight this great watercourse of western Asia which has almost as many historical associations as the Euphrates, which flowed through the Garden of Eden. A bulletin issued today by the National Geographic Society, from its headquarters in Washington, gives an interesting account of this highway of ancient civilization, which seems to have assumed once more the role of history maker.

The great Tigris, upon whose banks there flourished the magnificent city of Lagash and the great Babylonian empire more than three thousand years before the Christian era, today has fallen to such lowly estate that even the Turks and Arabs, whom it sustains, scorn to do it honor. Almost contemptuously they have given it the sobriquet "the cheap canals," because it is used by the natives of its upper reaches to bring down rafts or kelleks from Diarbekir to Bagdad, where the wood is sold while the inflated skins, used as floats, are deflated and transported back to the hill country by caravan.

On its turbid course through Mesopotamia the Tigris, which is traversed by small boats for a distance nearly four times as great as the navigable reaches of the Hudson river, flows past many ruins which have proved an almost inexhaustible mine of information for archaeologists. Opposite Mosul, from which we have derived the word muslin, applied to the fabric first imported into Europe from this town in the twelfth century, there are to be found the extensive remains of what was once haughty Nineveh, ever associated in the popular mind with the Biblical account of Jonah, the great fish and the gourd vine.

Sixty miles down the river from Nineveh, which was the last capital of Assyria, there stands the mean little Arab village of Kalat-Shergat, on the buried ruins of Assur, the first great city of the Assyrian empire. It was in honor of their god Assur that high priests founded the city of the same name. These priests and builders and

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administrators were at first under the suzerainty of Babylonia, but when that empire fell into decay they succeeded in establishing themselves as independent kings, founding a dynasty which held ruthless sway over this section of the world for centuries.

"Another historic place on the banks of the Tigris is Nimrud, which legend tells us was built by the Biblical hero who in addition to being a mighty hunter is credited with having been the projector of the Tower of Babel, and also with having cast Abraham into the fire because the father of the Israelites refused to worship idols.

"Only a few weeks ago British soldiers were contending with the Turks in the environs of the ancient capital of the Parthian kings, Ctesiphon, a few miles south of Bagdad. Here one finds the ruins of the great palace known as 'the throne of Khosrau,' the most remarkable example of Sassanian architecture extant.

"The Tigris has two main sources in the Taurus mountains, at an elevation of 5,000 feet. The head waters of the western branch are only two or three miles from one of the sources of the Euphrates. After the two branches join the river flows in a southeasterly direction for 800 miles until it unites with the Euphrates seventy miles above the Persian gulf, and forms the Shatt-el-Arab. The two principal towns on this waterway of ancient glory are Bagdad, whose importance, it is expected, will be greatly enhanced by the completion of the Bagdad railway, and Basra, the export city for the world's finest dates."

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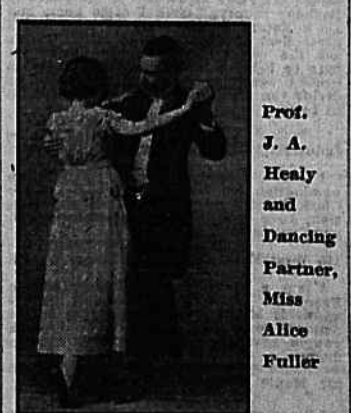
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Dancing classes for children and adults will be started about May 1st by Prof. J. A. Healy, graduate of the Dursey School of Dancing of New York City.



Prof. Healy has conducted Dancing Academies in Baltimore and New York City and has also taught classes at Frostburg, Md. He is recognized by the Congress Association of Dancing Masters as one of the best teachers in America.

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